

**THE VARIABLE ANNUITY LIFE  
INSURANCE COMPANY,**

**Plaintiff,**

**vs.**

**NICOLE HOLCOMBE WILSON and  
JANET WELLS, as Administrator of  
the ESTATE OF WESLEY A. WELLS,**

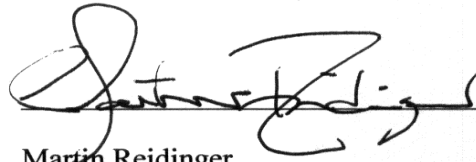
**Defendants.**

**THIS MATTER** is before the Court on the Plaintiff's Motion for Leave to Retain Funds Subject to Legal Hold [Doc. 3].

**IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED** that the Plaintiff's Motion for Leave to Retain Funds Subject to Legal Hold [Doc. 3] is **GRANTED**. The Plaintiff shall retain and administer the Accounts which are the subject of this interpleader action, subject to a legal hold preventing distribution of the funds in the Accounts until the Court issues an Order identifying the proper recipient(s) and instructing the Plaintiff as to the proper owner of the funds.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

Signed: May 29, 2017

  
Martin Reidinger  
United States District Judge

